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Customer No. : 23911  
Title : Side Impact Protective Apparatus for a Motor Vehicle Occupant

## STATUS REQUEST

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Our records indicate that we have not received any further correspondence in reference to the above-identified application since we received a Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document dated August 10, 2004. Please advise the undersigned of the status of the application.

It would be appreciated if the undersigned were telephoned in the event there are any questions related to this Request or the application in general.

Respectfully submitted

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